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For Flame Retardant Tubing Bundle

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97

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 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant(s) wish to disclose the following information:

REFERENCES

[X] The Applicant(s) wish to make of record the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed references are attached, where required, as are other statements of relevancy or any readily available English translations of pertinent portions of any non-English language references.

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#### RELATED CASES

- ☒ Attached is a list of applicants' pending applications in US and patents which are thought to be related to the present application.
- ☐ A check is attached in the amount required under 37 CFR §1.17(b).

#### CERTIFICATION

The undersigned certifies that:

- ☒ Each item of information contained in this information disclosure statement was obtained in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement.
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#### PETITION

- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby request consideration of the attached information. A check is attached in the amount of the Petition fee required under 37 CFR §1.17(c)(1).

#### DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

- ☒ Please charge any additional fees for the papers being filed herewith and for which no check is enclosed herewith, or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 16-0325**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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